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Mr. Michael Morisy
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RE: FOIA Control No: FI-2013-0060

Dear Mr. Morisy:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request sent to the Department of Transportation (DOT), Office of the Inspector General (OIG) and dated March 12, 2013. You requested "copies of contracts with Booz Allen Hamilton over the past 5 years. Any final reports generated and delivered by Booz Allen Hamilton to the agency over the past 5 years."

Based on our search, we have no records responsive to your request. Therefore, we consider this matter closed.

The FOIA gives you the right to appeal adverse determinations to the appeal official for the agency. The appeal official for the OIG is the Assistant Inspector General, Brian A. Dettelbach. Any appeal must be submitted within 30 days after you receive this letter.

Any appeal should contain all facts and arguments that you propose warrant a more favorable determination. Please reference the file number above in any correspondence. Appeals to Mr. Dettelbach should be prominently marked as a "FOIA Appeal" addressed to: U.S. Department of Transportation, Office of Inspector General, 7th Floor West (J3), 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20590.

For your information, Congress excluded three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIA. *See* 5 U.S.C. 552(c) (2006 & Supp. IV 2010). This response is limited to those records that are subject to the requirements of the FOIA. This is a standard notification that is given to all our requesters and should not be taken as an indication that excluded records do, or do not, exist.

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact me at either (202) 366-6131 or angel.simmons@oig.dot.gov. You may also contact our FOIA Public Liaison, Dave Wonnenberg, at either (202)366-1544 or david.wonnenberg@oig.dot.gov to discuss any aspect of your request.

Sincerely,

Angel Simmons
OIG FOIA/Privacy Act Officer